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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Arthur M. Johnson of Virden, who passed away on May 30, 2010; and

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WHEREAS, Arthur Johnson was born May 23, 1916, in Manson, Iowa, the son of John and Clara (Wendt) Johnson; on September 26, 1948, he married Audrey Peers in Manson; he was a graduate of Manson High School; and

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WHEREAS, He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the United States Army; after the war he farmed for many years in Iowa; Mr. Johnson then worked as custodian for Manson High School until he retired; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. Johnson was a member of the American Legion; he enjoyed sports, fishing, and traveling; and

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WHEREAS, He was preceded in death by his parents; his four brothers, George, August, Richard, and Chris Johnson; and his sister, Marie Kirchoff; and

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WHEREAS, Arthur Johnson is survived by his wife, Audrey Johnson; his daughter, Sally Johnson; his two grandsons, Justin Johnson and Jason Johnson; his two great-grandsons; his

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1 great-granddaughter; his two great-great-granddaughters; and
2 his two nephews; therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL
4 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with
5 his family and friends, the passing of Arthur Johnson; and be
6 it further

7 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
8 presented to the family of Arthur Johnson as a symbol of our
9 sincere sympathy.